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Applicant: Bruce E. Thomas et al.  
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Title: Door with Variable Length Screen  
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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examining the above-identified application, please make the following amendments:

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02 FC:1201                    430.00 OP

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

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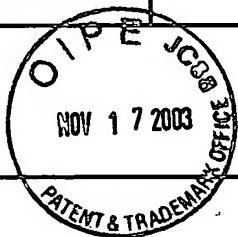
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Invention:



DOOR WITH VARIABLE LENGTH SCREEN

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	55 -	23 =	32	x \$18.00	\$576.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	9 -	4 =	5	x \$86.00	\$430.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$1,006.00

- No additional fee is required for amendment.
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